

MORRISON | FOERSTER

755 PAGE MILL ROAD  
PALO ALTO  
CALIFORNIA 94304-1018  
TELEPHONE: 650.813.5600  
FACSIMILE: 650.494.0792  
WWW.MOFO.COM

NOV 28 2006

MORRISON & FOERSTER LLP  
NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO,  
LOS ANGELES, PALO ALTO,  
SAN DIEGO, WASHINGTON, D.C.  
DUNVIR, NORTHERN VIRGINIA,  
ORANGE COUNTY, SACRAMENTO,  
WALNUT CREEK, CENTURY CITY  
TOKYO, LONDON, BEIJING,  
SHANGHAI, HONG KONG,  
SINGAPORE, BRUSSELS

To:

NAME:	FACSIMILE:	TELEPHONE:
MS AF USPTO	(571) 273-8300	(571) 272-6929

FROM: Christopher B. Eide

DATE: November 28, 2006

Number of pages with cover page:	13	
-------------------------------------	----	--

Preparer of this slip has confirmed that facsimile number given is correct: 6823/my11

## Comments:

Attorney Docket No.: 249212023500  
 Group Art Unit: 3652  
 Examiner: M. Lowe  
 Serial No.: 10/675,376  
 Filing Date: September 29, 2003  
 Inventors: Peter DICKEY et al.  
 Title: CARTRIDGE TRANSPORT ASSEMBLY

## Document attached:

- Transmittal Form (1 page)
- Amendment (11 pages)

\*\*\*\*\*  
 To ensure compliance with requirements imposed by the United States Internal Revenue Service, Morrison & Foerster LLP informs you that, if any advice concerning one or more U.S. Federal tax issues is contained in this facsimile (including any attachments), such advice is not intended or written to be used, and cannot be used, for the purpose of (i) avoiding penalties under the Internal Revenue Code or (ii) promoting, marketing or recommending to another party any transaction or matter addressed herein.

\*\*\*\*\*  
 CAUTION - CONFIDENTIAL

This facsimile contains confidential information that may also be privileged. Unless you are the addressee (or authorized to receive for the addressee), you may not copy, use, or distribute it. If you have received it in error, please advise Morrison & Foerster LLP immediately by telephone or facsimile and return it promptly by mail.

PA-11142S2

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

NOV 28 2006

PTO/SB/21 (09-04)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

TRANSMITTAL  
FORM

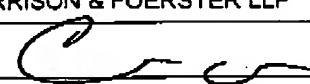
(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

		Application Number	10/675,376
		Filing Date	September 29, 2003
		First Named Inventor	Peter DICKEY
		Art Unit	3652
		Examiner Name	M. Lowe
Total Number of Pages in This Submission	12	Attorney Docket Number	249212023500

## ENCLOSURES (Check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to TC
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached	<input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers	<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply (11 pages)	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition	<input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> After Final	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application	<input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information
<input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address	<input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Return Receipt Postcard</li> </ul>
<input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund	
<input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement	<input type="checkbox"/> CD. Number of CD(s) _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Landscape Table on CD	
<input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application		
<input type="checkbox"/> Reply to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53		
Remarks		

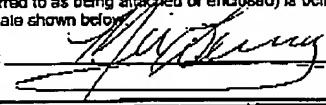
## SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm Name	MORRISON & FOERSTER LLP (Customer No.: 25226)		
Signature			
Printed name	Christopher B. Eide		
Date	November 28, 2006	Reg. No.	48,375

Client Ref. No.: Q03-1049-US1

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being transmitted by facsimile to the Patent and Trademark Office, facsimile no. (571) 273-8300, on the date shown below.

Dated: November 28, 2006

Signature:  (Mel Y. Leung)

pa-1114247

PAGE 2/13 \* RCVD AT 11/28/2006 9:28:54 PM [Eastern Standard Time] \* SVR:USPTO-EFXRF-1/9 \* DNIS:2738300 \* CSID:650 813 5993 \* DURATION (mm:ss):03:28

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being transmitted by facsimile to the Patent and Trademark Office, facsimile no. (371) 273-6300, on the date shown below.

Dated: November 28, 2006

Signature:



Melvyn Leung

NOV 28 2006

Docket No.: 249212023500  
Client Ref. No.: Q03-1049-US1  
(PATENT)

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:  
Peter DICKEY et al.

Confirmation No.: 6858

Application No.: 10/675,376

Art Unit: 3652

Filed: September 29, 2003

Examiner: M. Lowe

For: CARTRIDGE TRANSPORT ASSEMBLY

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

MS AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the final Office Action dated September 27, 2006 (Paper No. 20060920), for which a response is due on December 27, 2006. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

pa-1108783